

People in this state cannot afford a rebuild of tolls. Adding tolls is another avenue for bad spending and promises broken. For example what is being done with the tax per gallon on gas and diesel? Close to the highest in the country!!!! Robbed for other projects equal to what the feds have done with Social Security. Tolls were deemed dangerous and taken down what did that cost the CT taxpayers. But now they are not dangerous. I am certain that any new revenue for the state, those in charge will spend like drunk fools, yet not stop spending when the money runs out like drunks do! Then next we know in a few years we the citizens will get another spin on another increase or should I say attempt to steal more money from hard working people because of miss management at the state level.

Additionally the toll revenue is a cost to any company shipping goods to CT. Their toll cost will be passed on to the consumer in CT. I think CT citizens are paying more than their fair share. Its time for legislators to take a few hits on their pockets not ours. Eliminate any pensions, pay for their own healthcare once they leave office, just like any other private sector citizen. Funny how that is never a budget topic but passing costs on to the citizens of CT is always the topic at the state.

How about the fact that anyone traveling through CT makes certain they fill up with fuel in another state if at all possible. How about looking into that loss of revenue rather than the same old just tax something rather than live within your means. Do you really think tolls are a business friendly approach.

Focus on the real issues not methods to steal from the residents of CT.

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